From: Becher, Kent
To: Miller, Garyg

Subject: Re: interesting fact sheet

Date: Monday, June 03, 2013 4:17:18 PM

Thanks Gary. July is going to be a busy month, but I will work in time for a review especially if we get earlier in July. We still have funding left in the account, so we shouldn't have to worry about that part. I will be gone to Denver from July 22nd to August 2nd for a two-week training class that my boss has asked me to attend. I was surprised he wanted me to go to this class, but he wants to keep me in the loop of the USGS world.

Take care.

On Mon, Jun 3, 2013 at 4:13 PM, Miller, Garyg < Miller.Garyg@epa.gov > wrote:

Thanks Kent – interesting article. FYI, I expect the San Jacinto Feasibility Study sometime in July, and would appreciate your review of it.

Hope things work out OK for your Mom - we went through that with my Dad & it's not an easy time.

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Hi Gary,

I thought you might be interested in this article that I attached below.. Back when they first started writing workplans for San Jacinto, I tried to get them to use a boat mounted ADCP for cross sections to understand the flow velocities across the channel. Instead they just deployed those single beam ADCPs on the bottom of the channel which only provided a small cone of data for the overall channel. Water under the bridge now as they would say, but I would feel a lot better if the



hydraulics of the channel were better defined, but we lost out on that one.

I haven't talked to you in a while, but I have been swamped with LHAAP and other sites lately, so I am glad that San Jac has settled down for at least a while.

I hope all is well. Just a note, I will be on leave starting this Thursday through all of next week. I am heading to Arizona to get my mom straightened out since she is having a lot of health and memory problems right now. Time to move her into a 24 hr care facility.

Jackson, P.R., 2013, Visualizing flow fields using acoustic Doppler current profilers and the Velocity Mapping Toolbox: U.S. Geological Survey Fact Sheet 2013–3028, 4 p. http://pubs.usgs.gov/fs/2013/3028/

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